OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF INDUSTRIES AND COMMERCE IN MYSORE, BANGALORE.

Statement of wholesale and retail prices in Bangalore City for week ending Saturday, the 28th April 1928.

Food articles	Quality	Seers	Lbs. per bag	Rate	Market Report	Retail prices
Food grains and pulses—				Rs. a. p. Rs. a. p.		
Rice ..	Guntoor per palla ..	100	246	20 0 0 to 24 0 0	—	4 to 5 seers per rupee.
	Pattasamanahalli Sanna per palla —	,,	,,	20 0 0 to 25 0 0	—	
	Dharapur ,, ..	,,	,,	25 0 0 to 26 0 0	—	3¼ to 4 ,,
	Mysore kaddi ,, ..	,,	,,	18 0 0 to 21 0 0	..	4½ to 5½ ,,
	Alubbalu ,, ..	,,	,,	.. —	No stock	— —
Ragi —	Duyam (black) per cart load —	640	..	60 0 0 to 62 0 0	..	10 to 10½ ,,
	Superior (red) ,, ..	640	..	63 0 0 to 64 0 0	—	
Tur —	Gulberga .. —	—	—	— ..		6 to 6½ ,,
Tur (Dal) ..	....	—	..	....		3¾ to 4¼ ,,
Avare ..	....	—	..	....		7½ to 8 ,,
Avare (Dal) ..	— —	..	..	.. —	..	5¼ to 6¼ ,,
Oils and oilseeds—						
Oils	Sweet oil	..	26½	8 0 0 to 8 8 0	..	0-3-3 to 0-3-3 per seer
	Castor oil	..	28	6 4 0 to 6 6 0	..	0-2-6 to 0-2-9 ,,
Oilseeds ...	Gingelly or Til seed per candy ..	255	—	50 0 0 to 62 0 0	—	— ..
	Castor seed ,, ..	255	—	34 0 0 to 38 0 0	—	.. —
Other Food Articles—						
Sugar —	White Bura	25		3 11 0 to 3 12 0	—	0-7-3 to 0-7-6 per viss
	Kolar Bura	25		3 9 0 to 3 11 0	..	
Jaggery ..	Achu .. — —	28		1 12 0 to 2 3 0	—	0-3-6 to 0-4-6 per viss
	Oonde	28		1 10 0 to 1 14 0	..	
Ghee ..	Superior (Mandya) ..	—	26½	24 0 0	..	2-0-0 ,,
Salt ..	Bombay salt (black) —	100	—	7 0 3	—	14 to 14½ seers per rupee
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BANGALORE,
Dated 30th April 1928.

H. K. RAMIENGAR,
For *Director*.

OFFICE OF THE SANITARY COMMISSIONER IN MYSORE, BANGALORE.

NOTE ON THE STATE OF PUBLIC HEALTH IN MYSORE FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY THE 28TH APRIL 1928.

One attack and 2 deaths from plague were returned during the week against 10 attacks with 7 deaths during the previous week, the districts affected being Mysore and Kolar. The cities of Bangalore and Mysore and the Kolar Gold Fields area continued to remain free from infection.

2. Comparative figures for the corresponding week were 53 attacks with 35 deaths in 1926 and 5 attacks with 6 deaths in 1927.

3. No cases from cholera or relapsing fever were returned during the week.

4. A total of 49 attacks with one death from influenza was returned for one village in Channarayapatna Taluk and the city of Bangalore.

5. Under small-pox, a total of 23 attacks with 10 deaths was returned for 2 villages in Holalkere Taluk, one village in Chamrajnagar Taluk, the town of Narasimharajapura, Sringeri and Channapatna and the cities of Bangalore and Mysore.

6. The total mortality for the Bangalore City amounted to 86 representing a calculated annual ratio of 37·72 per mille of population against the average ratio of 27·06 for 1926. Classified according to causes, the deaths numbered 2 under small-pox, 4 under malaria, 16 under pneumonia, 1 under other fevers, 5 under phthisis, 6 under dysentery and diarrhœa and 52 under all other causes.

7. The total mortality for the Mysore City for the week was 47 representing a calculated annual ratio of 29·11 per mille of population against the average ratio of 35·30 for 1926. The causes of deaths were small-pox 1, malaria 2, pneumonia 4, typhoid 1, phthisis 3, dysentery and diarrhœa 9 and all other causes 27.

8. There were 45 deaths from all causes reported from the Kolar Gold Fields area equivalent to a calculated annual ratio of 26·09 per mille of population against the average ratio of 26·18 for 1926. The causes of deaths were pneumonia 2, other fevers 2, phthisis 3, dysentery and diarrhœa 2, and all other causes 36.

B. MOHAMED USMON,
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